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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: April 4, 2005

Attorney  
 Docket No.: SYNER-163XX

Sir:

In re application of: **James S. Hiscock et al.**  
 Entitled: **FLEXIBLE DATA OUTLET**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

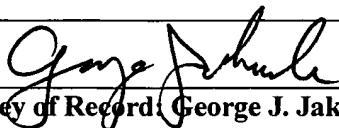
- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$\_\_\_\_\_) per §1.17(e).
- ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ per §1.116.
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for 1 month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$120.00) per §1.17.
- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- ☒ One Replacement Sheet for Fig. 1, 4 and 5

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	2 - 6	= 0	x \$200.00 =	0
Total	40 - 31	= 9	x \$50.00 =	\$450.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$360.00 =	0
SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				\$450.00
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				\$450.00

- ☐ No additional fee. ☒ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$450.00) for the cost of same.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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